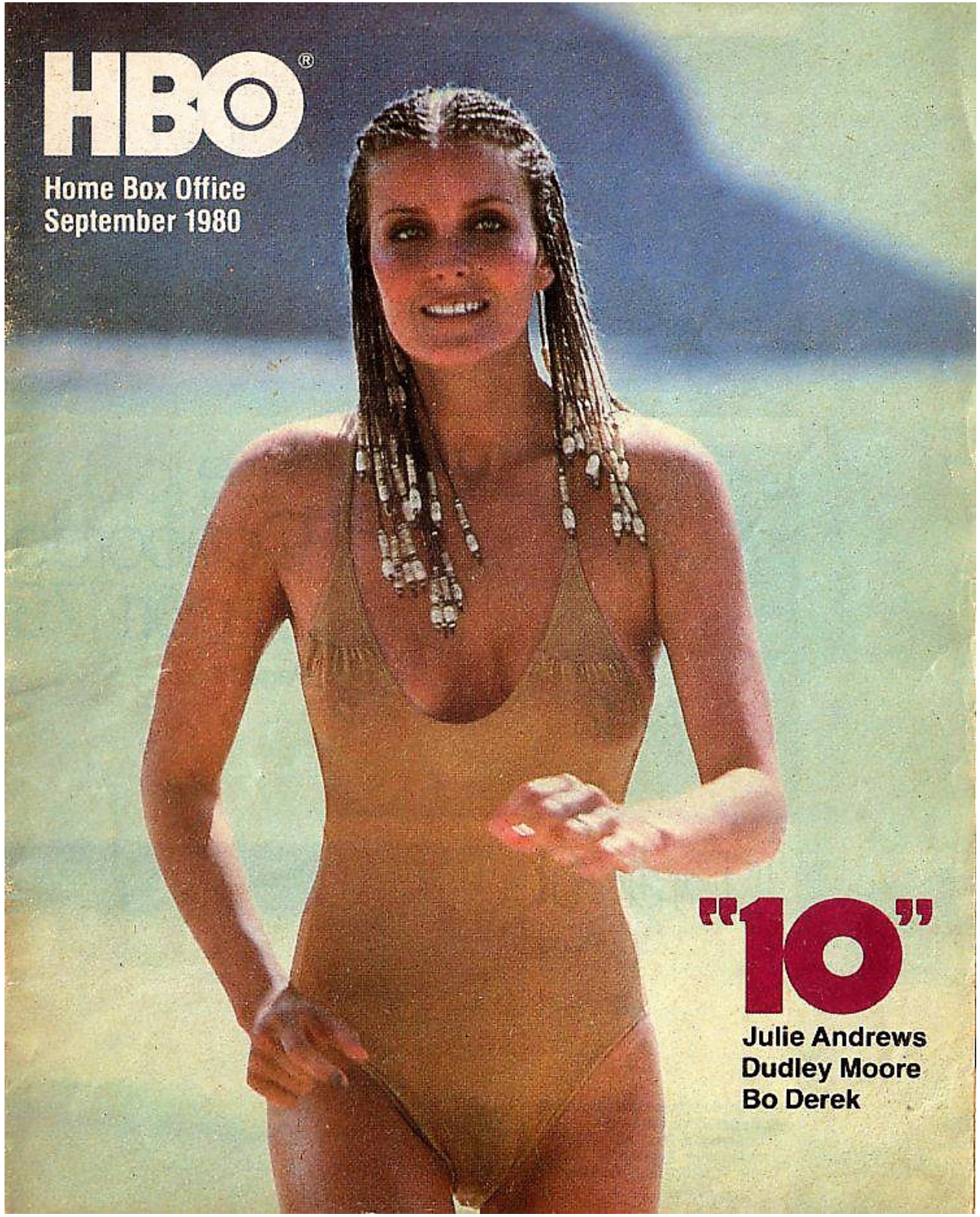
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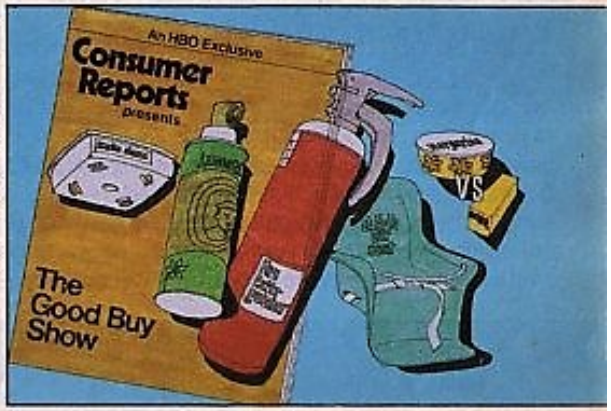

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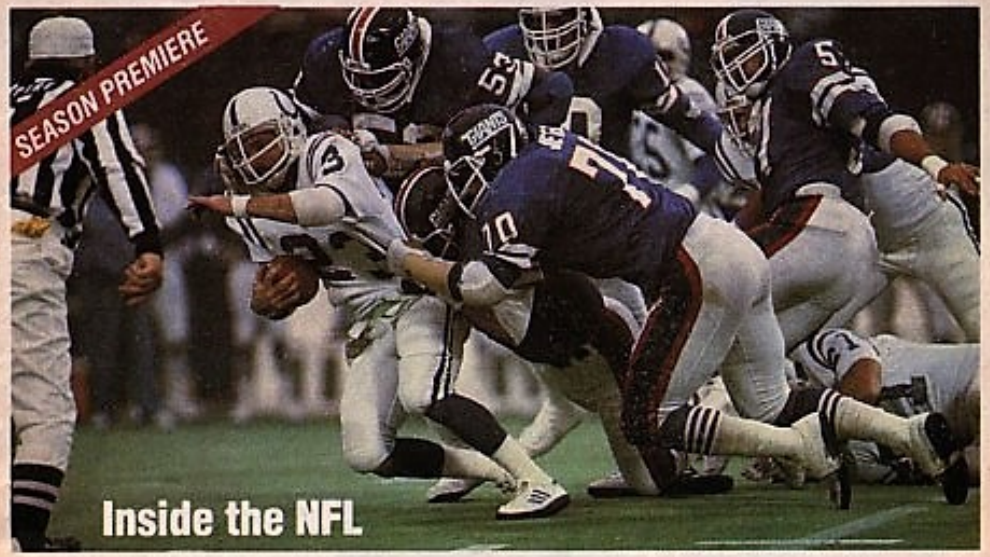
Robin Williams (Off the Wall!)

You first saw Robin Williams on HBO's *Second Annual Young Comedians* in 1977. Now catch him on a show of his own. But watch out, don't expect the Robin you know from *Mork and Mindy*. This is the "off the wall" comedian whom nightclub audiences find hilarious. He's diverse, manic and delightful. *Adult material.* **Sept. 3,7,12,18,20**

Smile Bruce Dern

A California "Young American Miss" pageant pokes fun at one of America's favorite institutions, the annual beauty contest. Bruce Dern stars in this sharp, satiric masterpiece. Barbara Feldon is "den mother" to the 33 finalists. Is this what a beauty pageant is really all about? *Adult situations, language.* (PG-1:53) **Sept. 1,6,12,16,21,24**



It's first down and 22 weeks to go to the Super Bowl as HBO Sports begins its fourth smashing season of NFL highlights. Leaping catches? Crunching tackles? Booming runs? See them up close as each week Len Dawson and Nick Buoniconti analyze clips of all the important games. There'll be exciting features, fearless predictions and interviews. Catch *Inside the NFL* and you'll definitely know what the score is. **Sept. 4,5; 11,12; 18,19; 25,26**

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Standing Room Only: Linda Ronstadt In Concert

Here's today's queen of rock 'n' roll, in her first major TV special—a complete performance from her 1980 concert tour. Linda can sing them all—rock, country-western and pop. Hear hits from her seven platinum albums like "Mad Love," "It's So Easy" and "Just One Look". **Sept. 1,5,10,13,16**

Just Tell Me What You Want

Ali MacGraw
Alan King

An amusing satire about a powerful business tycoon and his long-time lover—one explosive romantic pair! Alan King, millionaire collector of companies, art and ladies, co-stars with strong-willed Ali MacGraw. Myrna Loy, Keenan Wynn, Tony Roberts and Dina Merrill add brilliant support. Sidney Lumet (*Network*) directed. King's performance is "rich . . . witty." *(N.Y. Times) Adult situations, language; brief nudity.* (R-1:52) **September 5,9,14,22,27,30**

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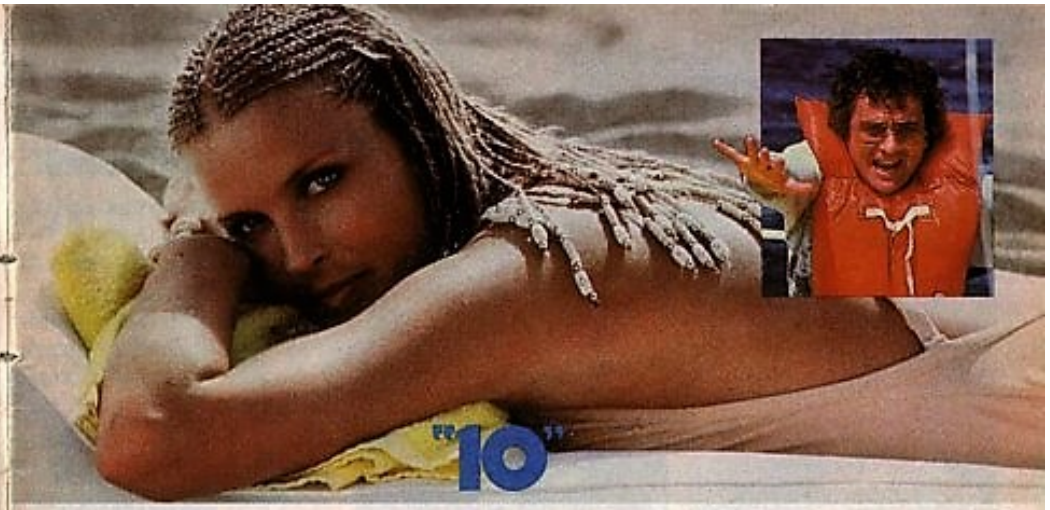

Julie Andrews Dudley Moore Bo Derek

You saw her in the magazines. You loved her on the poster. Now see sensual, sensational Bo Derek in the hottest, most talked-about movie of the year, the film that makes her the sex symbol of the '80s. Dudley Moore is hilarious as the hit songwriter who's captivated by Bo's perfect "10" beauty. Julie Andrews co-stars. "Classical Hollywood comedy" (*Newsweek*) *Adult situations and language; nudity.* (R-1:58) **September 7,11,15,19,23,27**

Thunderball

Sean Connery as James Bond

007 dives into underwater action in the latest thriller in HBO's James Bond series. Sean Connery is out to snare a crime syndicate that's hijacking a NATO aircraft over Europe. French beauty Claudine Auger, Luciana Paluzzi and some lovely Bahama locales are all part of the inviting scenery. *Violence, adult situations.* (PG-2:10) **September 6,10,14,19,22,25**

SPECIAL

HEROES: PATTON

The Man Behind the Myth

"Old Blood and Guts." A national hero and four-star general. But was he simply a courageous warrior—or was there a different man behind the public image? This exclusive HBO documentary examines this complicated hero through his diaries and rare family photographs, never before made public. **Sept. 8,13,17,19,21,25**

Sky Sports Spectacular

The sky becomes a giant sports arena for some high-flying entertainment. Almost 11,500 aircraft from 50 different countries are on hand for the Oshkosh Air Show, the world's largest sports-aviation event. **Sept. 1,4**

Goldfinger

Punch-packing James Bond enters the bizarre and ensnaring world of Auric Goldfinger. Sean Connery is the unflappable agent sent to stop the largest gold heist ever—Fort Knox! *Adult situations.* (PG-1:48) **Sept. 2,4**

SPECIAL

Charlie Chaplin: The Little Tramp

Host Joel Grey presents Charlie Chaplin in a compilation of his great early films. *The Tramp, The Rink* and *Shanghied* are all works of art. The little tramp, turning from the camera and padding down the road into the horizon, is an image many will never forget. And neither will you. **Sept. 1,5,10,14**

Dreamer Tim Matheson

In this engaging, upbeat story, a young bush-league bowler aspires to the national championship. Tim Matheson (*1941*) plays the man with the big dream. Co-star Susan Blakely is right up his alley. Although not a box office smash, it's an enjoyable look at the pro sports world. *Adult situations.* (PG-1:30) **Sept. 10,13,18,21,23,26**

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10:00 THE MAIN EVENT
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8:00 DREAMER
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5:00 MURDER BY DECREE
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Liza Minnelli stars in the smash musical that won eight Oscars. (PG-1:58) p.16
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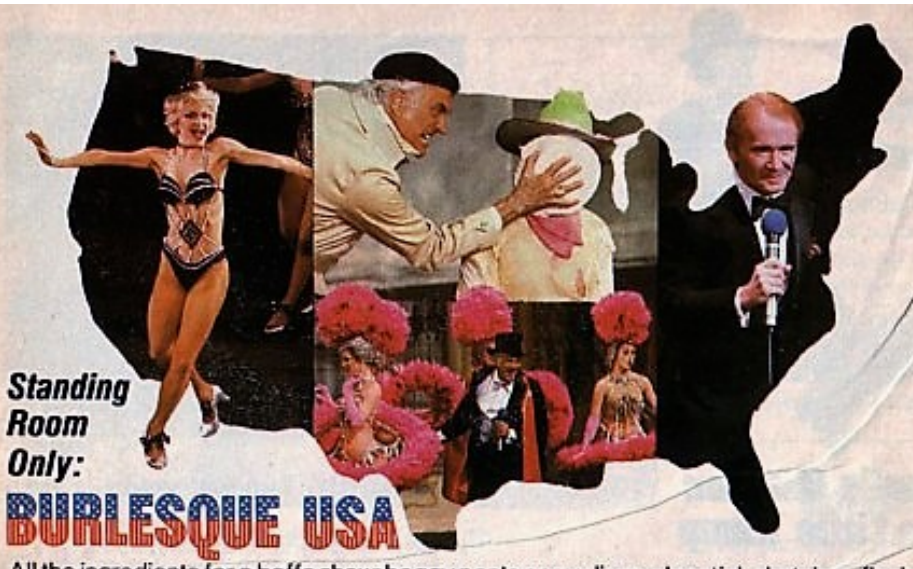
It's the bottom of the ninth for the baseball season—and each game means more than ever. Join hosts Len Berman and Maury Wills for action highlights and an expert look at each week's critical hits, pitches, catches and unexpected plays. **Sept. 2,3; 9,10; 16,17; 23,24**



Standing Room Only: BURLESQUE USA

All the ingredients for a boffo show: baggy pants comedians, slapstick sketches, flashy musical dance numbers, stripteasers and showgirls. Zany host Red Buttons (once the youngest comedian ever to appear in burlesque) has a wild time with lots of special guests. Burlesque's revival is sweeping the country, and in HBO's 4th annual burlesque presentation, you'll understand why. It's funny, a little naughty, but oh, so nice! **Sept. 14,18,22,27**

Hot Stuff

Dom DeLuise
Suzanne Pleshette

In this wacky caper, Miami cops open their own phony fencing operation to catch the light-fingered underworld. Dom DeLuise, Suzanne Pleshette and Jerry Reed are members of an improbable burglary task force in this action comedy filled with twists. Ossie Davis costars as a tough police captain who's not sure which side of the law his men are really on. "Sly and satirical" (*Variety*) *Profanity.* (PG-1:27) **September 12,16,20,25,28**

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Rooster Cogburn

John Wayne
Katharine Hepburn

Two of America's all-time favorite movie stars join forces in an unusual western. The results are true movie magic. John Wayne recreates the hard-fighting, hard-drinking Cogburn character of *True Grit,* which won him an Oscar. Katharine Hepburn is a psalm-singing schoolmarm and a crack shot. *Adult situations, violence.* (PG-1:47) **September 13,17,21,27,29**

Gator Burt Reynolds

In this action-crime drama, Burt Reynolds is a rugged ex-con, a good ol' boy who just wants to go back to his illegal still in the swamp. But he finds himself in the middle of shootouts, boat chases and high-voltage romance. Jerry Reed co-stars. Burt, himself, directed. *Adult situations, violence.* (PG-1:56) **September 15,18,20,23,28**

The Seduction of Joe Tynan Alan Alda

Senator Tynan is learning. Learning about the power and pitfalls of ambition and desire. Alan Alda plays the rising star politician. Oscar winner Meryl Streep co-stars as a lawyer with a soft smile and a steel trap mind. *Adult situations, profanity.* (R-1:47) **September 4,8,12,16,20,24**

Airport

George Kennedy, Burt Lancaster, Dean Martin and Jacqueline Bisset co-star in this blockbuster disaster film. The kaleidoscopic plot revolves around a mad bomber, a stowaway and a snowbound jetliner. *Adult situations.* (G-1:47) **Sept. 5,9**

Shame, Shame on the Bixby Boys

Pa Bixby and his boys have turned cattle rustling into a family tradition! Monte Markham stars as a small town lawman trying to give the boot to the freewheeling family in this rambunctious comedy western. *Profanity.* (PG-1:27) **Sept. 3,6,9**

Consumer Reports magazine presents: The Good Buy Show

Are any insecticides safe? Is margarine better for you than butter? Why are motor vehicle accidents the #1 cause of death for children ages 1-4? How effective are smoke detectors? Should you have fire extinguishers in your home? You'll find the answers to these questions (and many more) in another exclusive HBO show designed to protect your pocketbook, safety and health. **Sept. 17,20,23,28**

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Thursday September 18

6:00 DREAMER
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Wild improvisations. p.4

National Lampoon's® Animal House

John Belushi

Delta House is having a party. But it's been going on for the last four years! An outrageous fraternity house strives for a new perspective of "higher education". John Belushi stars as "Blutarsky", frat brother with an industrial vacuum cleaner for a stomach. With Tim Matheson. *Profanity, nudity.* (R-1:49) **September 8,13,21,26**

George Kennedy Alain Delon Susan Blakely Robert Wagner

In this supersonic adventure (the fourth and newest of the *Airport* films) suspense and action zoom across the screen at twice the speed of sound. The assorted passengers, as well as the crew, meet terror en route to Paris and, later, Moscow. The all-star cast includes: John Davidson, Charo, David Warner, Cicely Tyson and Eddie Albert. "Will stand your hair on end" *(N.Y. Post) Adult situations, language.* (PG-1:54) **September 21,25,29**

On Location: Don Rickles and His Wise Guys

The master of insult comedy and ad-lib makes his long awaited Home Box Office debut. He's lined up a host of very funny wise guys including: Wayland Flowers and Madame; Bruce Baum, a wild zany who uses props and costumes; Jackie Wakefield, renowned "Catskill" funnyman; Pudgy, a spicy comedienne (often called the female Rickles) and Johnny Yune, the Korean comic. It's an evening of frantic fun with rapier-wit Rickles in charge. **September 19,23,28**

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11:00 "10"
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7:30 CONSUMER REPORTS
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6:00 ROOSTER COGBURN
"Duke" Wayne (PG-1:47) p.11
8:00 THE CONCORDE AIRPORT '79
Disaster drama (PG-1:54) p.14
10:00 SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER
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12:00 ANIMAL HOUSE
John Belushi (R-1:49) p.13

Players

Ali MacGraw
Dean-Paul Martin

This passionate romance between a handsome young man and an attractive older woman is set against the world of championship tennis. Ali MacGraw plays the mysterious lady who becomes involved with Dean-Paul Martin, an itinerant tennis hustler. Tennis stars John McEnroe and Ilie Nastase are also featured. *Adult situations, language.* (PG-2:00) **September 20,24,28**

Cabaret

Liza Minnelli Joel Grey

Pre-war Germany. The Kit Kat Club. Where everything, even the rise of the Third Reich, is "beautiful." Liza Minnelli stars as an American nightclub singer in the electric musical-drama set in 1930s Berlin. Winner of eight Oscars. *Violence, adult situations, language.* (PG-1:58) **Sept. 2,6,11,14,17**

HBO Sneak Preview for October

Starring Stiller and Meara. Pssst! Like to see what's coming next month? Then let comedy couple Jerry Stiller and Anne Meara give you the inside story about our October programs. Funny and informative, they'll show you what's on the horizon for movies, sports and specials. **Sept. 24,26,28,30**

Saturday Night Fever

John Travolta

John Travolta ignites the screen in the film that put disco on the map. Swinging to the Bee Gees great soundtrack, Travolta proves he's king of the dance floor. *Adult language and relationships; sexual content.* (PG-1:52;R-1:59. Check schedule for version being shown.) **Sept. 8,12,17,21,27**

The Dark

An alien monster of inhuman strength, with murderous claws and laser-beam eyes, menaces the Los Angeles area in this chiller sure to please the horror buff. Writer William Devane, cop Richard Jaeckel and TV newscaster Cathy Lee Crosby are all caught up in the battle to stop the terror. *Violence, profanity.* (R-1:30) **Sept. 22,26**

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10:30 INSIDE THE NFL
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11:30 THUNDERBALL
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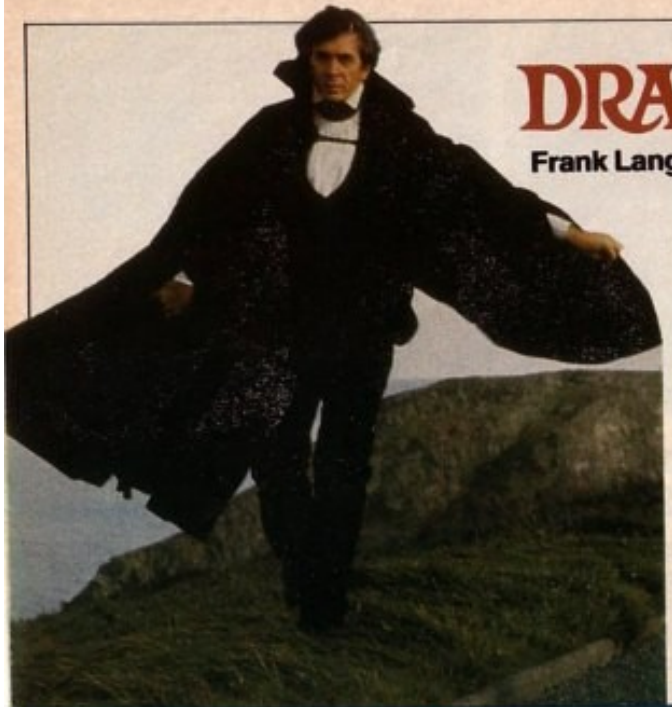
The Main Event

Barbra Streisand Ryan O'Neal

Barbra Streisand unexpectedly becomes a very broke Beverly Hills perfume tycoon with only a single asset left: a reluctant boxer—Ryan O'Neal. The two square off, spar and romance as they put love on the ropes in this punchy comedy. Paul Sand co-stars as Barbra's ex-husband. *Adult situations.* (PG-1:50) **September 3,6,9**



DRACULA

Frank Langella Laurence Olivier

The most famous vampire of all puts the bite on some lovely English lasses in this lavish retelling of the classic tale. The excruciatingly handsome Frank Langella recreates his Broadway triumph as the seductive count whose simple gaze can transfix the fair sex. Laurence Olivier co-stars as his nemesis. Director John Badham (*Saturday Night Fever*) provides plenty of cobwebs, bats and eerie locales. *Adult language, violence.* (R-1:49) **September 28**

Friday September 26

5:30 DREAMER
Bowling drama (PG-1:30) p.9
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The famous teenagers continue (PG-1:51) p.19
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Saturday September 27

3:30 SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER
Dance numbers (PG-1:52) p.17
5:30 ROOSTER COGBURN
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7:30 SAMMY DAVIS
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Sunday September 28

3:30 CONSUMER REPORTS PRESENTS: THE GOOD BUY SHOW p.13
4:00 PLAYERS
Love game, on-and-off court (PG-2:00) p.15
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6:30 HOT STUFF
Dom DeLuise (PG-1:27) p.11
8:00 DRACULA
Horror-love story (R-1:49) p.18
10:00 CONSUMER REPORTS
Fireproofing tips. p.13
10:30 GATOR
Two-fisted brawl (PG-1:56) p.12
12:30 DON RICKLES AND HIS WISE GUYS p.15

More American Graffiti

What *did* happen to the teens of *American Graffiti*? This affectionate look at those popular youngsters growing up in mid-'60s America brings back those crazy, bittersweet, unforgettable times. Cindy Williams, Ron Howard and Candy Clark head the cast of this pleasing sequel. Although not a box office match for the first blockbuster, *The N.Y. Post* said: "New *Graffiti* tops the original." *Adult situations, language; violence.* (PG-1:51) **September 26,30**

Sammy: The Golden Years

Dynamic performer Sammy Davis, Jr. celebrates 50 years in show business. The multi-talented bundle of energy sings, dances and does impressions. Musical numbers include "Candy Man," and a medley of "Once In A Lifetime," "What Kind of Fool Am I?," "Gonna Build A Mountain." Also film clips of his early days. It's a one-man-wonderful show! **September 27,30**

Head Over Heels John Heard

Charles is happy, sad, elated, deflated, dreaming, scheming, laughing, crying. As the saying goes, he's "head over heels." John Heard plays Charles, a bachelor with a boring job and a dotty mother. In this offbeat love story, Mary Beth Hurt plays a wife temporarily separated from her husband. "Bittersweet but funny romantic comedy" (*People*) *Adult situations, language.* (PG-1:38) **September 30**

The Greatest Scandals of the Century

What was the real story behind the Profumo affair involving British government officials and prostitution? And the Black Sox World Series bribery in 1919? Or Hollywood's bizarre Fatty Arbuckle trial with its tales of rape and murder? This HBO documentary uses rare film footage, still photographs and courtroom testimony to help recreate these twentieth century shockers. **September 3,7,15**

Monday September 29	Tuesday September 30
6:00 THE CONCORDE AIRPORT '79 George Kennedy heads a suspenseful supersonic flight from U.S. to Moscow (PG-1:54) p.14	**6:30 HBO SNEAK PREVIEW FOR OCTOBER** Stiller and Meara. p.16
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	12:30 JUST TELL ME WHAT YOU WANT Ali MacGraw (R-1:52) p.6

HBO LATE NIGHT

There's good news for night owls. It's *HBO Late Night*, a specially programmed late hour presentation on Fridays, Saturdays and nights before major holidays. This month: *Phantasm*, an eerie tale (**Sept. 5**); *Circle of Iron*, a Kung Fu drama with David Carradine (**Sept. 6,19**); and *Get Out Your Handkerchiefs*, the Oscar winner (Best Foreign Film) about a *very* unusual marriage (**Sept. 12, 27**). Also *Harold and Maude*, the classic comedy about a boy and an eccentric old woman (**Sept. 13,26**) and finally, *Dionne Warwick In Concert* (**Sept. 20**).

Once in Paris Wayne Rogers

A slightly uptight screenwriter becomes romantically involved amid splendors of the most romantic of all cities. Wayne Rogers (*House Calls*, *M.A.S.H.*) is the American in Paris. Gayle Hunnicutt co-stars and Jack Lenoir plays the sly Frenchman who shows Rogers the ropes. "Very nearly perfect love story" *(Los Angeles Times) Adult situations and language.* (PG-1:39) **September 29**

Wild Horse Hank

Linda Blair
Richard Crenna

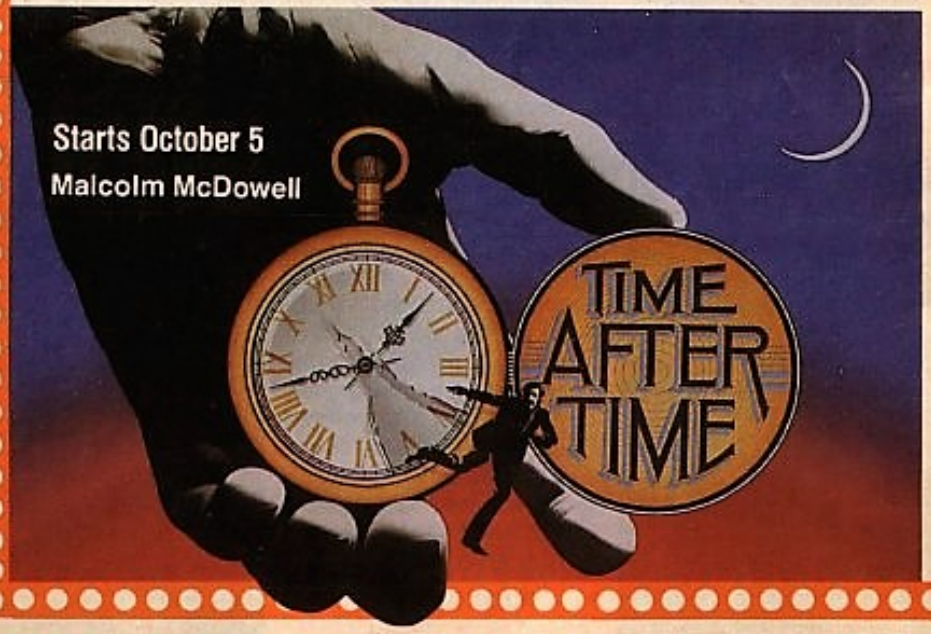
In the back hills of Montana, someone is stealing horses. Strong-willed Linda Blair takes on a cause as she tries herding wild mustangs to safety—away from the grip of men who would rather see them dead. Richard Crenna co-stars as her dad. An HBO world television premiere! *Some profanity.* (1:31) **September 2,7,10,15,20**

The Bugs Bunny/ Road Runner Movie

"What's up, Doc?" An uproarious cartoon cavalcade starring Mr. Bugs Bunny, the world's most famous wabbit. Visit with Bugs as he looks back on his illustrious career. And roar at Elmer Fudd, Daffy Duck and a super-chase put together from 16 Road Runner shorts! *Family fare.* (G-1:23) **September 7,13**

COMING ON HBO

Al Pacino in



Nick Nolte

Mac Davis

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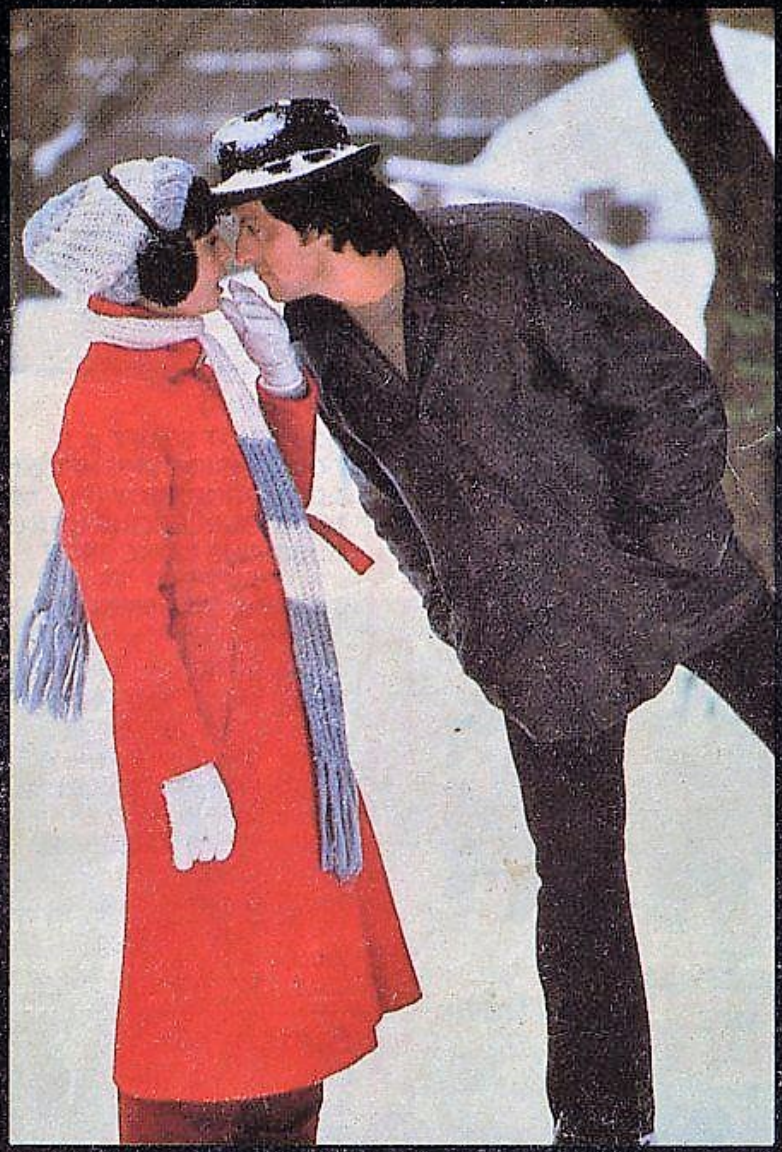
ROCKY II



Sylvester Stallone
Talia Shire
Burt Young
Burgess Meredith

Coming on HBO

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